

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicants acknowledge and thank the Examiner for the finding of allowability with regard to claims 5 and 6. Claims 1-4 have been cancelled without prejudice to filing in a later application. Claim 5 has been amended to fully comport with Examiner's comments with regard to the objection to allowable claims 5 and 6. Upon entry of the foregoing amendment, claims 5-6 will be pending in the application.

Amendment Filed Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116

The amendment has been filed under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 governing amendment after final rejection. This amendment is appropriate for entry under Rule 116, since it does not raise new issues and places the application in allowable condition and/or places the application in better consideration of appeal. Applicants note that this amendment under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 is fully adoptive of the Examiner's comments with regard to the allowability of claims 5 and 6.

Amendment to Allowable Claim 5

The present amendment to the claim 5 merely addresses the objection that claim 5 is "dependent on a rejected base claim, but would be allowable is rewritten in independent for including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening

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claims". Amendment to allowable claim 5 fully comports with the Examiner's comments, adds no new matter, and is fully supported by the application as filed.

Allowable claim 6 has not been amended since it now depends directly from amended claim 5.

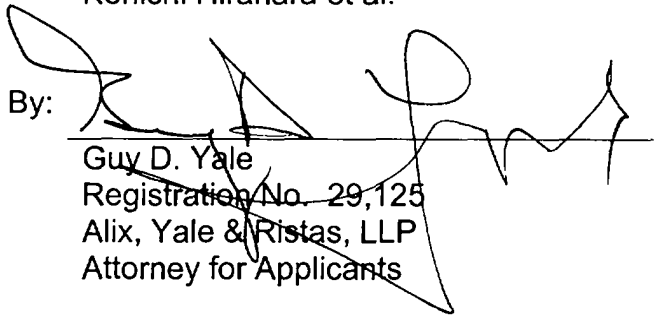
Summary

In summary, Applicants have addressed each of the objections with regard to allowable claims 5 and 6. It is believed the application now stands in condition for allowance, and prompt favorable action thereon is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully Submitted,

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